

PSs – PR&RD Dept. – Allegations of misappropriation of Government funds in execution of “Neeru-Meeru” works taken up by DWMA in Chatrai Mandal of Krishna District by Sri D.V.S. Sharma, AE(Retd.) and Sri J. Rama Naik, MPDO (Retd) Chatrai (M), Krishna - Disciplinary action initiated – Enquiry conducted - Enquiry Report received– Charge proved – Imposing a penalty of 5% cut in pension permanently against Sri D.V.S. Sharma, AE (Retd.) under Rule 9 of the APRP Rules, 1980 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

Dated.05.02.2013.
Read the following:

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It has been brought to the notice of the Government by the competent authority that, Government funds were misappropriated in execution of “Neeru-Meeru” works taken up by DWMA in Chatrai Mandal of Krishna District by Sri D.V.S. Sharma, Assistant Engineer (Retd.) and Sri J. Rama Naik, MPDO (Retd.) Chatrai (M), Krishna vide reference 1st read above. Government have requested the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad to take necessary action vide reference 2nd read above. Accordingly disciplinary action has been initiated against Sri D.V.S. Sharma, Assistant Engineer (Retd.) by framing article of charges vide reference 3rd read above and Sri D.V.S. Sharma, Assistant Engineer (Retd.), DWMA, Chatrai (M), Krishna District submitted his written statement of defence vide reference 4th read above.

2. After examining the written statement of defence of Sri D.V.S. Sharma, Assistant Engineer (Retd.), the Superintending Engineer, Vijayawada, Rural Water Supply was appointed as Enquiry Officer vide reference 6th read above. Subsequently enquiry officer has been changed and the Superintending Engineer, Rural Water Supply, Eluru Circle was appointed as Enquiry Officer in this case vide reference 8th read above.

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3. In the reference 9th read above the Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Hyderabad has furnished the Enquiry Officer's report and his findings vide reference 10th read above.

4. After examining the Inquiry Officer's Report along with the findings of the Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Hyderabad, Government have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of 5% (Five percent) cut in pension permanently on Sri D.V.S. Sharma, Assistant Engineer (Retd.) for the charge held proved i.e tampering of records with or without malafide intention.

5. In the reference 11th read above, while communicating a copy of the enquiry report, a show cause notice has been issued to the charged officer with a request to submit his representation, if any, on the proposed punishment under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980. The Charged Officer has submitted his explanation vide reference 12th read above.

6. In the reference 14th read above the APPSC has, agreed with the proposal of the Government i.e. to impose a penalty of 5% (Five percent) cut in pension permanently against Sri D.V.S. Sharma, Assistant Engineer (Retd.)

7. Accordingly, Government, after careful examination of the matter have decided and hereby impose a penalty of 5% (Five percent) cut in pension permanently against Sri D.V.S. Sharma, Assistant Engineer (Retd.), under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

8. The Engineer-In-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Hyderabad shall take further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G. NAGI REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)
& I/c SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(RWS)

To

Sri D.V.S.Sarma, Assistant Engineer (now retired), DWMA,Chatrai (M),
Krishna District through the Engineer-In-Chief, RWS&S,
Hyderabad.

The Engineer-In-Chief, RWS&S, Hyderabad.(With a request
to serve and furnish dated acknowledgement immediately)

Copy to:-

The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The General Administration (V&E) Department.

The Secretary, Vigilance Commissioner,

A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

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